



Prevent Child Abuse

North Carolina Chapter
National Committee to Prevent Child Abuse

May 6, 1999

Public file

Mr. Mike Ward
NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mr. Ward:

We want you to know how much your support of Prevent Child Abuse NC means! Your generosity and concern for children has made it possible for the staff and volunteers at PCA to continue working with families and communities to stop abuse before it starts. We appreciate your most recent contribution of \$1000 and are fortunate to have you as our friend.

Children are abused in North Carolina every day, but your gift will help us work to stop the pain before it starts. More families will be able to nurture and support their children and provide healthier homes because of your concern.

Prevent Child Abuse NC provides community education, training for professionals who work with families and children, advocacy for children's issues, and our 1-800-354-KIDS line for support and referral. Through these services we hope to make the future brighter for all of North Carolina's children. Only because of the generous support of caring people like you can we continue our work.

On behalf of the children we are helping, many thanks. Please visit our website at www.childabusenc.org

Sincerely,

Ruth Peebles

Ruth Peebles, M.P.A.
Director of Advocacy and Development

*Our "Picture This" event was
a success. Over 175
guests participated and
approximately \$6,000
was raised! Thank
you for your
continued support.*

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21 May 99

Larry —

Just a note to say how much
I loved the TV special! And the
Presentation video is fabulous!
I have shown both to more
than 50 volunteers already.

You and NBC-17 have
been so supportive. I hope
you know that your generosity
is much appreciated.

I look forward to seeing
you again soon!

LuAnne

The logo features a stylized black silhouette of a person with their arms raised, holding a circular object that resembles a bowl or a bridge. The words "WAKE COUNTY" are written in a sans-serif font above the word "Human", which is in a large, bold, serif font. The word "Services" is also in a large, bold, serif font, positioned to the right of "Human".

WAKE COUNTY Human Services

January 13, 1999

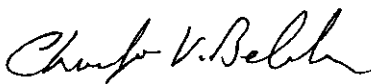
Natalie C. McIver
Public Affairs Director
WNCN 1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Ms. McIver:


Please accept this letter as an expression of gratitude for your donation of \$1,000. This money will be used to enhance the quality of our mentoring program and provide the children with educational, cultural, recreational and social activities. It is because of caring organizations such as yours that we are able to provide opportunities to many children in Wake County that they may not otherwise experience due to the financial constraints of other factors in their lives.

Thank you again for your help and gracious generosity.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Charlenzo V. Belcher".

Charlenzo V. Belcher
Best Friends Mentoring Program Coordinator

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Wanda F. Jenkins".

Wanda F. Jenkins
Director of Family Support

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Dear Natalie,

Thanks to the support of NBC-17 WNCN over 1,000 at-risk youth were able to celebrate a year of school success at the annual Communities In Schools of Wake County (CISWC) Year-End Celebration on Wednesday, April 14, 1999 at the ALLTEL Pavilion Walnut Creek Amphitheatre. And, there was much to celebrate! Twenty-four CISWC seniors will receive their diplomas this June, and one of these graduating seniors received a \$1,000 scholarship to assist with her post-secondary education! Many other CISWC students have improved grades, attendance, and citizenship.

Recognition of such school accomplishments would not have been possible without your contribution. Thank you for coordinating the appearance of Donna Gregory as emcee of the event. Donna definitely added to the excitement of the day and students enjoyed meeting such a positive local celebrity at our annual celebration.

The support of your business is vital to the success of our work. Working together, we are helping promising youngsters reach their potential

Sincerely,

Michael Olander
Chairman, CISWC Board of Directors
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East Cary Middle School

"New Challenges, New Bridges"
1999-2000

VATALIE
These are
"Thank You's"
for our participation
in Career Day
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Byron Day
NBC News 17
1205 Front St.
Raleigh, NC 27519

November 18, 1999

Dear Mr. Day:

On behalf of the Business Alliance and East Cary Middle School, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for participating in the East Cary Career Fair on November 10, 1999. Comments received from both students and staff indicate that this venture was worthwhile and helpful to the students in their beginning stages of Career Exploration. We appreciate very much your willingness to devote a half day from your busy schedule to contribute to the students' learning experience.

I have enclosed notes from some of the students who attended the Career Fair. Thank you again for spending the morning with us on November 10.

Sincerely,

Carol Breckheimer

Carol Breckheimer
School Counselor

1111 SE Maynard Rd., Cary, NC 27511, Telephone: 919/460-3504



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Dear Mike -

Thank you for thinking of Easter Seals when you needed to fill a spot. Everyone on this end agrees that it was a wonderful idea and a terrific finished product. Rest assured that we will use it often!

Thanks again for all you've done for Easter Seals North Carolina. It's greatly appreciated. Best Regards,
Sharon Galluzzo

(1999)



4-14-99

Natalie,

Thanks for helping to make this year's
YEAR-END CELEBRATION such a
huge success. As expected, Donna Gregory
did another outstanding job. Please get us
a copy of the segment on the YEC from
last night's 6:00pm news + the segment from
Monday's evening's news 4-12-99. Also, Tony
Correale agreed to participate in a volunteer
profile on one condition... He gets a tape of
the segment he did on the Carolina Chronicle
back in February. Put my invoice in the mail! :)

Thanks,
Richmond



**United Way
of North Carolina**

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9-13-99

Natalie,

Just a quick note of thanks for the opportunity to participate in the Volunteer Telethon! You all did a fantastic job - and I hope you do know that your efforts do change the lives of people in our communities. As I said, we are very fortunate in North Carolina - due in large part to strong partners like NBC 17 and people like you!

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September 13, 1999

Natalie C. McIver
Public Affairs Director
NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Ms McIver

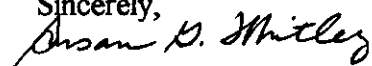
Thank you for the opportunity to share our volunteer needs with your viewing audience yesterday. It was a chance for Grady and me to inform and "be passionate" about a program we believe in

But more than that, it was fun! We arrived just after 9 a.m. and spent the next two hours networking with other nonprofit and governmental leaders and enjoying the delicious refreshments Teresa Beddingfield supplied. Mitzi Baker was efficient checking in all the "performers," I was impressed by the professionalism displayed by all your interns, but as she was my initial contact with NBC-17 in June, Mitzi made a great first impression

Following your succinct directions in the conference room, the excitement built until we stood with Lisa Spencer waiting for our turn. Lisa was quick to mention our need for long-term volunteers to serve as mentors. She also put Grady at ease by picking up on the phone operator's whisper that he "looked like someone on TV" (I hope she got our MATCH T-shirt I left for her)

This was a wonderful gift you gave us. It's not easy to live in a county without a television station. It really curtails our recruitment efforts to reach those special individuals willing to help our troubled youth. Hopefully, together, we have made a difference. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Susan G. Whitley
Executive Director





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September 14, 1999

Ms. Natalie McIver
WNCN-NBC-17
1205 Front St
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Natalie

On behalf of the United Way, its agencies, but most importantly the thousands of people served, I wish to express our gratitude to you and NBC-17 for your third annual volunteer-athon. Thousands of people will benefit from your efforts as we connect more people who wish to help with those people in need

If I may serve you or your station in any way, I will consider it an honor.

Sincerely,

W. Thomas Dugard, Jr.
President

WTD/jh

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October 5, 1999

Natalie McIver
NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Natalie

Thank you so much for giving Susan Bowers and me the opportunity to participate in Volunteer Telethon North Carolina. This telethon is a great gift to the community from NBC-17. I was grateful to have this chance to support you and your efforts in the volunteer campaign. Despite our initial "stage fright," Susan and I had a great time working with you and the staff at NBC-17!

The words "promote volunteerism" are integral to the Junior League's mission statement. I salute you for addressing this area of need in our community and for using NBC-17's resources to advocate volunteerism among our citizens. Please call on me if I can be of further help with this effort in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Anne Ramsay".

Anne E. Ramsay
President, Junior League of Raleigh



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Registered Representative



October 8, 1999

Mr. Michael Ward
NBC Channel 17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mike:

I commend the positive role that Channel 17 has taken to alleviate the suffering inflicted on Eastern North Carolina from Hurricane Floyd. To my knowledge, no other company in the Triangle has taken on this breadth of commitment.

I was one of the 400 volunteers this past weekend to Duplin County. I saw the immense devastation caused by the storm.

However, when I returned home I was sorry to hear that your company would discontinue their efforts. This was primarily due to the inability to gain access to most homes for clean-up services. I think this would be a grave mistake.

I hope that Channel 17 will continue to be a role model for other corporations in our community. I strongly urge that Channel 17 not stop targeting these Eastern North Carolina communities on the weekends.

Sincerely,

John F. Wily, III, CLU
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Public file

December 16, 1999

Mr. Michael Ward, President
WNCN NBC-17
1209 Front Street
Raleigh NC 27609

Dear Michael:

It is a pleasure and privilege to say thank you once again to WNCN-TV and NBC for your consistent, generous and knowledgeable support of this organization and its programs. We deeply appreciate your check No. 506069 for \$900.00 dated December 1 that will make the holidays much brighter for many clients and families.

WNCN-TV is clearly the leader in covering some of the very tough community and health issues in this region and your news department has been clear and accurate in bringing critical information to viewers. Added to your leadership is the action that goes far beyond symbolism in providing needed resources to organizations like ours that have a direct impact on people living with HIV and AIDS and that bring clear HIV and STD prevention messages to vulnerable people, especially the young.

The Alliance of AIDS Services • Carolina and its member organizations are deeply in your debt. Please accept our sincere wishes to you and your entire staff for a joy-filled holiday season and a totally Y2K incident-free New Year.

With best regards,

W.K. Brent, Jr.

William K. (Bill) Brent, Jr.
Executive Director

P.S. Your continued support is so very appreciated!

Founding Organizations

AIDS Service Agency - North Carolina	Triangle AIDS Interfaith Network (TRAIN)	AIDS Service Agency - Orange County
Our Mission is compassionate, non-judgmental care, prevention, education and advocacy for the person with HIV/AIDS, their loved ones, caregivers, and communities at large		

Deborah A. Cerrito
5440 Grand Traverse Drive
Raleigh, NC 27604

Public File

November 29, 1999

Mike Ward
General Manager
NBC 17 News
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mr. Ward,

I am writing to commend your staff for the amount of coverage during the Hurricane Floyd ordeal. It was not until this extensive coverage that I really began to watch your station, however currently I try not to miss any coverage. It was truly comforting to keep the television on during such an event and receive current information.

I understand the importance of keeping folks informed, as I am a health professional and I am required to be of assistance if an emergency arises and I am needed. I was extremely impressed with the amount of time your station was on and specifically for Lisa Spencer, who I know had to be on television more than 12 hours. I hope she was commended for an enormous job. She continued to maintain her professionalism and courteous way, although I know she had to be exhausted. In addition, Donna and Byron were taking turns coming in and staying for hours, I know they were exhausted, but they continued to keep going. I was even impressed with Sharon who had a tree fall and made her way to work; that is truly dedication.

Overall, I was wholeheartedly impressed with your staff and hope you will share this letter with them, in addition to commending them on a fantastic job. I meant to write this letter soon after the Hurricane but have been extremely busy, as I am sure you can relate. I will continue to watch your station and hope to see more of these wonderful people in the future. I look forward to the Millennium coverage!!!!

Sincerely,

Deborah A. Cerrito, RHEd

Deborah A. Cerrito, RHEd.



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5232 Troutman Rd
Raleigh, NC 27612
Nov. 21, 1999

Program Director
NB 17
Raleigh, NC -

Dear Sir,

I thank you for airing the program,
"Mary, Mother of Jesus" on November 14.

It was uplifting and inspirational, and I
felt it was basically true to the Bible.
Thank you for showing a show of such
quality. I hope you will continue to
do all in your power to use your
resources to present programs that
will challenge, inspire, and offer
hope to your viewing audience. Please
convey our thanks to the sponsors.

Thank you.

Rob and Susan Huckaby



North Carolina
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December 1, 1999

Mr. Mike Ward, President
NBC-Channel 17 News
2619 Western Boulevard
Raleigh, North Carolina 27606

Dear Mr. Ward:

Your station will never know the impact you had on certain parts of the community when faced with the impending news of Hurricane Floyd and its aftermath. Your program gave the best information and kept people who are deaf and many who are hard of hearing informed of the warnings, news updates, status reports and all other communications that happened before, during and after the disaster. Your station realized the importance of providing equal access to communication through real-time captioning, unfortunately, most television stations failed to implement such a simple provision. People who are deaf or hard of hearing have told us that they really appreciated the information broadcasted by your station. Such information helped them make informed decisions about where to go and what to do to protect themselves and their property.

Our Division commends your station on an outstanding job in reaching out to those who have been excluded in the past. Thank you for providing first rate data to a community so deserving of it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "George D. McCoy".

George D. McCoy

cc: Kevin Earp, Chairman - NC Council for the Deaf and the Hard of Hearing
Dave Binning, President - NC Association of the Deaf
Wayne Giese, President NC Self Help for the Hard of Hearing



South Johnston High School

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November 19, 1999

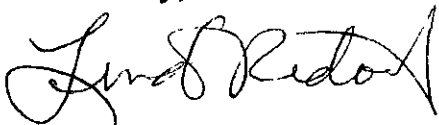
Dear Ms. Beddingfield,

Our Passport Day Job Shadowing experience this year was an overwhelming success! Over 105 business and industries provided job shadowing sites for approximately 200 seniors from South Johnston High School. Students returned to South Johnston excited and motivated as they checked into school the day following the shadowing. The seniors now have a better sense of purpose for their year long senior project and a better outlook for planning their future goals. This prepared them to start making those final plans about post-secondary school and the work force.

Your place of business was a necessary component of the shadowing experience. Even though many students self selected their own shadowing site, other students were carefully placed at a site, which matched their career goals.

Thank you and other NBC 17 employees for participating in this important work based learning activity. We look forward to working with you again in the future.

Sincerely,



Linda Ridout
Career Development Coordinator



**March
of Dimes**
Saving babies, together

Public file

November 19, 1999

Mike Ward
General Manager
NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mike,

On behalf of the 1999 Corporate Cup Challenge Committee and the March of Dimes Birth Defect Foundation, I would like to extend my sincerest thanks for your Team Sponsorship in this year's tournament. With your help, the 1999 Corporate Cup Challenge Gala Auction raised over \$66,000.00 to help ensure that more North Carolina babies live healthier lives.

Next year the Corporate Cup Challenge will be held on October 6th and will again be followed by a combined awards presentation and gala auction. We hope that next year you will choose to team up with the March of Dimes to support our work to fight birth defects, low birth weight and infant deaths.

Thank you again for your important contribution and continuing support to the March of Dimes.

Sincerely,

John Roos
Chairman
1999 Corporate Cup Challenge

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September 29, 1999

Mike Ward
WNCN-TV/NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mike,

I am very pleased to welcome you to membership on our Board of Directors. I know I speak for every member of our group in assuring you how much we are looking forward to working with you in the years ahead.

You were elected at our September meeting to a three-year term, from 1999 to 2002. You will be eligible for re-election to a second three-year term. The next meeting of our full Board will be in January 2000. I will certainly look forward to seeing you then, if not before.

As you know, I have been a Board member of the Easter Seal Society for many years and I enjoy my work with the Board very much. I know you will enjoy your association with this fine organization as much as I have. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give me a call. My work number is 755-2100.

Sincerely,

Don Donadio,
Chairman



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October 23, 2000

Ms. Natalie McIver
NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Natalie:

Thank you again for NBC - Channel 17's generous support of our Antiques & Garden Show of North Carolina. This year, with the addition of gardening, we offered more variety in merchandise and increased interest in our already highly successful Show netting over \$60,000 to support the Poe Center's preventive health education programs.

In recognition of your contribution of \$2,500, your company was recognized in our Show catalogue, and will be recognized in the Poe Center's newsletter, annual report, and more.

Thank you again so very much for your sponsorship of our Antiques & Garden Show and for your continued support of the Poe Center for Health Education.

Sincerely,

Virginia Yopp
Marketing and Media Chairman
Antiques & Garden Show

Suzanne Metcalf
Public Affairs
Poe Center for Health Education



July 17, 2000

Mr. Michael Ward
President and General Manager
NBC 17 WNCN
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mike:

I am sure thank you just isn't enough to express our most sincere appreciation for the fabulous job you did promoting The Triangle Area Marrowthon. People in your local area called to say they saw the public service announcements in advance of the event and were going to come and register as a potential bone marrow donor. We are most grateful to your commitment to The American Red Cross and The Community Marrow Donor Program.

Thank you to every member of the NBC 17 team for their hard work as well; especially the behind the scenes work of Natalie McIver and on-the-air coverage by Stephanie Crayton and Sharon Delaney. All of the taped and live interviews were fantastic. Stephanie and Sharon did an outstanding job of learning about the program and putting their heart and soul into their reporting.

Attached for your information is a summary of the results. 792 new donors were added to the National Marrow Donor Program Registry, of whom 80 were minorities. These results are wonderful. We were also able to raise \$1,650.00 from all of the sites in tee shirt contributions.

We also appreciate the fact that many of your staff became part of the registry and that they can potentially help someone in need of a bone marrow transplant.

I look forward to working with NBC 17 again for the 2001 Triangle Area Marrowthon.

Best regards,

Robyn
Robyn Galbraith
Executive Director

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NBC 17
TRIANGLE AREA
MARROWTHON 2000

Typing, Whole Blood & T-Shirt Donation Results

<u>SITE</u>	<u>MARROW</u>	<u>BLOOD</u>	<u>DONATIONS</u>
Durham Red Cross	65 Caucasians 11 Minorities	80	\$ 165.00
North Hills Mall	490 Caucasians 44 Minorities		\$1,165.00
Duke Hospital	118 Caucasians 15 Minorities		\$ 120.00
National Guard Armory	39 Caucasians 10 Minorities	50	\$ 200.00
TOTALS	712 Caucasians 80 Minorities	130	\$1,650.00

TOTAL TYPED 792 Donors



**Volunteer Center
of Greater Durham**

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To Volunteer, Call (919) 688-8977

September 10, 2000

Ms. Natalie C. McIver
Public Affairs Director
NBC-17
WNCN
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Natalie:

On behalf of The Volunteer Center of Greater Durham and the 250 agencies that we represent, thank you for hosting the volunteer telethon this past weekend.

I was excited to participate in such a rewarding event and I look forward to working with you in the future to make the telethon even more successful in the years to come

Thank you and NBC-17 for giving back to the community in so many ways. We appreciate your support of the Volunteer Center and voluntarism.

Sincerely,

Sarah W. Woodard

Sarah W. Woodard
Executive Director

*It was so nice to meet
you!*





September 12, 2000

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Dear Natalie,

I want to say "Thank you!" for all that you and the employees of NBC-17 did this past weekend on behalf of volunteerism. Being the director of a volunteer center I know first hand the importance of volunteers in every community. Your effort to publicize the importance of becoming a volunteer was greatly appreciated!

On behalf of The Volunteer Action Center of Wilson County I would like to thank you for including our agency in your broadcast. I know all of the agencies within Wilson are grateful to NBC-17 for allowing us to participate in *Volunteer North Carolina! 2000*.

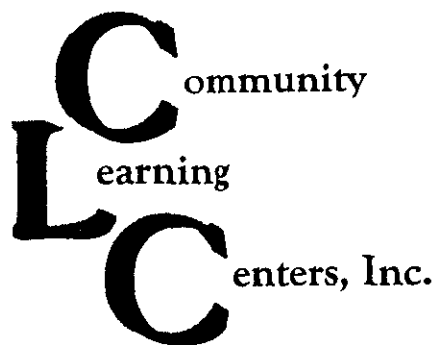
I also want to thank you for including my son Michael in the program. We are proud of his spirit regarding volunteerism and his award from Governor Hunt. Michael is looking forward to meeting the governor on the 25th of this month and receiving his "official" award from Jim Hunt. I think it is vital that everyone understands that even a child of 12 can make a difference in their community if they have an interest in volunteering.

Lisa was certainly a gracious host on the air and did a wonderful job interviewing Michael and myself. I was so afraid he would "freeze" during the interview, but Lisa did a great job making us both feel so welcome and relaxed before we actually started. Michael talked about how nice she was all the way home from Raleigh. (I think it had something to do with the comment she made about his eyes!)

It was certainly a team effort at NBC-17 that day and your staff definitely made *Volunteer North Carolina! 2000*, a success. Thank you once again for inviting Volunteer Action Center and all of the other agencies representing Wilson County to participate in your volunteer campaign kick-off.

Sincerely,

Debbie Stanford
Executive Director



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September 13, 2000

Natalie McIver
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Dear Natalie:

On behalf of Community Learning Centers, I would like to thank NBC-17 and you for the invitation to participate in this year's **VOLUNTEER NORTH CAROLINA! 2000**. The event is such a positive outlet for non-profits and other organizations to advertise for volunteers, not to mention a wonderful forum to promote the mission of each particular organization.

Many small organizations rely on volunteer resources to keep cost at a minimal. I am glad to see that NBC-17 recognizes this effort and hosts such wonderful events as **VOLUNTEER NORTH CAROLINA! 2000**

Again, thanks for the invitation to participate, and thank you and NBC-17 for all that you do for this and other communities where you are located.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Aldostin E. Byrd, Jr.'.

Aldostin E. Byrd, Jr.
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September 28, 2000

Ms. Natalie McIver
Public Affairs Coordinator
NBC-17
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Ms. McIver,

Thank you once again for your support of Triangle United Way and area non-profits through the annual NBC-17 Volunteer Telethon. Although an incredible 1.3 million volunteer hours were pledged, the long-term benefits of this project are immeasurable. Not only did the NBC-17 Volunteer Telethon increase awareness of non-profit programs and provide a means for area residents to volunteer, but it also promoted the idea that voluntary service plays an integral role in the betterment of our community.

We appreciate your personal and professional dedication to the NBC-17 Volunteer Telethon. With your help and leadership we can build a better community for everyone. Again, thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

W. Thomas Dugard, Jr.
President

May 5, 2000

Jennifer Abbate
c/o NBC-17
4312 Candle Ct.
Raleigh, NC 27616

Dear Jennifer:

On behalf of the board and staff of Prevent Child Abuse, I want to thank you for donation of two NBC-17 embroidered golf shirts auctioned during our silent auction at our fourth annual event "Picture This" held on April 28th at Sisters' Garden in Raleigh.

The event was a success! Approximately \$10,000 was raised to provide prevention services to children and families across the state. Over 175 guests attended the event and enjoyed the work of thirteen North Carolina photographers, great food and drink, and a silent auction.

Your support helps us to continue our efforts to provide support to new parents, free parenting materials, training for educators and child care providers, as well as support and information through our toll-free hotlines.

Thank you again for helping children who can't protect themselves.

For our children and their families,

Ruth A. Peebles, M.P.A.
Director of Advocacy and Development

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May 1, 2000

WNCN NBC-17
c/o Mr. Michael R. Ward
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mr Ward:

Thank you for WNCN NBC-17's recent gift of \$295 to the College of Journalism and Communications in memory of Rob Pierce. We are honored that the station has chosen to remember Rob in this lasting and meaningful way.

Your gift will be placed in a permanent endowment fund that has been established by WTVJ/NBC 6 to provide scholarship and assistantship awards to students in the College of Journalism and Communications who plan to pursue careers in television news videography.

On behalf of the College of Journalism and Communications at the University of Florida and the generations of students who will benefit from your gift in the name of Rob Pierce, please accept my deepest thanks

Sincerely,

Terry Hynes
Dean



City Of Raleigh
North Carolina

March 1, 2000

NBC-17
ATTN: Michael Ward
1205 Front Street
Raleigh, NC 27609

Dear Mr. Ward:

The City of Raleigh 's Human Resources Human Relations Advisory Commission (HRHRAC) and the Community Services Department wishes to express their profound gratitude for your support of the 2000 Awards Luncheon. The event was enormously successful. This, of course, would not have occurred had it not been for your financial participation, your presence, program participation, advertisement, or in kind contributions.

As this is an annual affair that is growing each year, we hope we can depend on you in 2001.

Do not hesitate to call on the Commission or the Community Services Department should you need us.

Sincerely,

Gayle Robinson

Gayle Robinson
Banquet Chair

Hardy R. Watkins
Community Services Director

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